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# The Broken Spoke in photos from the decades - -1960s to present day

Owners and proprietors James and Annetta White

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# James and Annetta White





# Opened The Broken Spoke Nov. 10, 1964



Photo by James White 1964



# The Geezinslaw Brothers were their longest running act 1964-2005



Photo by Rick Henson 1975



The legendary  
bandleader  
Bob Wills  
performed  
in 1966, 1967  
and 1969  
at the  
Broken Spoke



Photo by Annetta White 1966



# Warren Smith & the Dave Perry Band were one of the first local bands to play at the Broken Spoke in 1965



Photo by Annetta White 1965



# Willie Nelson began performing solo at the Broken Spoke in 1968--



Photo by Annetta White 1966



# Jimmie Day, Paul English and Willie Nelson began performing at the Broken Spoke in 1969



Photo by Annetta White 1969



# Willie Nelson continues to show up to perform at the Broken Spoke

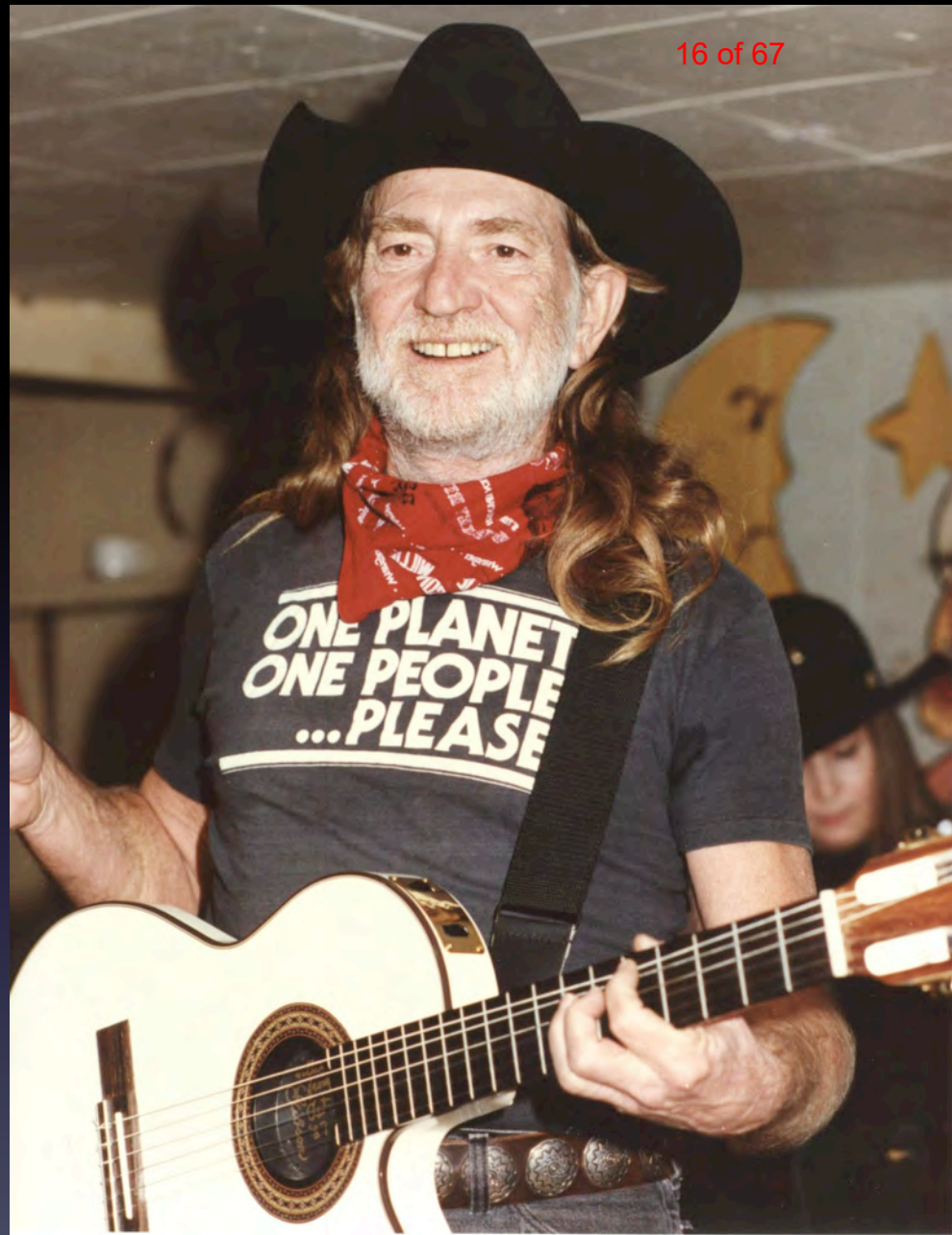


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# Hank Thompson performed at the Broken Spoke in 1965



Photo by Annetta White 1965



# Kitty Wells performed in the 1970s at the Broken Spoke



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# Patsy Montana performed at the Broken Spoke in the 1970s



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# George Strait performed at the Broken Spoke from 1975 until 1980



Photo by Annetta White 1975



Marcia Ball  
began performing as  
'Frieda and the  
Firedogs' in 1973 at a  
campaign fundraiser  
for Congressman  
Lloyd Doggett and  
then under her own  
name at the  
Broken Spoke

Photo by Donna Marie Miller 2015





# Marcia Ball, Gary P. Nunn, Alvin Crow, and Jimmie Day performed at the Broken Spoke in 1975



Ray Benson  
and Asleep  
at the  
Wheel  
began  
performing  
at the  
Broken  
Spoke in the  
1970s



Photo by Rick Henson 1990



Ernest Tubb performed at the Broken Spoke often beginning in 1969 and performed once in 1975 with Jerry Jeff Walker and Joe Ely



Photo by Will Rick Henson 1975



# Jerry Jeff Walker began performing at the Broken Spoke in the 1970s

Photo by Donna Marie Miller 2014





# The Texas Playboys performed a reunion at the Broken Spoke in 1975



Photo by Rick Henson 1975



# Sons of the Pioneers performed at the Broken Spoke in the 1970s



Photo by Rick Henson 1976



Johnny Bush  
performed  
often at the  
Broken Spoke  
in throughout  
the 1970s



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# The Texas Playboys with Leon Rausch performed with Alvin Crow at the Broken Spoke in 1975



Photo by Rick Henson 1975



# Dwight Yoakam performed with The Geezinslaws at the Broken Spoke in the 1980s



Photo by Rick Henson 1980



# Freddie Fender performed at the Broken Spoke in 1980



Photo by Rick Henson 1980



# Johnny Rodriguez and friends performed at the Broken Spoke in 1980



Photo by Rick Henson 1980

# Ray Price performed at the Broken Spoke in 1990



Photo by Rick Henson 1990



# Kinky Friedman, Joe Ely, Billy Joe Shaver, and Mary Hattersley performed at the Broken Spoke in 2006



Photo by Rick Henson 2006



# Rusty Wier and Jerry Jeff Walker began performing at the Broken Spoke in 1983



Photo by Rick Henson 1983



# Willie Nelson, Kris Kristofferson and James White at the Broken Spoke in 1990



Photo by Rick Henson 1990



# Willie Nelson, Kris Kristofferson, Doug Sahm and Alvin Crow also performed together at the Broken Spoke in 1990



Photo by Rick Henson 1990



# The (B) Sons of Johnny Cash began playing at the Broken Spoke in 2000



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# James White, Joe Ely, Gary P. Nunn, Jimmie Dale Gilmore, and Chris Wall hosted the 1990s' 'Broken Spoke Series'

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Photo by Rick Henson 1990



# Dolly Parton filmed 'Wild Texas Wind' at the Broken Spoke in 1991



Photo by Rick Henson 1991

# Alvin Crow performed with The Texas Playboys' Johnny Gimble at the Broken Spoke



Photo by Rick Henson 1993



# Junior Brown, Jerry Jeff Walker, and Lee Roy Parnell, performed with Alvin Crow at the Broken Spoke in 1993



Photo by Rick Henson 1993

# Joe Ely, Marty Stewart, Travis Tritt and Jimmie Dale Gilmore performed at the Broken Spoke in 1990



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Blues piano  
player Joe Willie  
'Pinetop'  
Perkins  
performed and  
sold his CDs at  
the Broken  
Spoke in 2006



Photo by Rick Henson 2006

# James 'Slim' Hand began performing at the Broken Spoke in 2006



Photo by Rick Henson 2006



# Brooks and Dunn performed at the Broken Spoke in 1990

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# Pauline Reese and Jack Ingram each began performing at the Broken Spoke in 2008



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# Dale Watson began performing at the Broken Spoke in the 1990s



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Jason Roberts  
played at the  
Broken Spoke  
with Asleep at  
the Wheel  
beginning in the  
1970s and solo  
beginning  
in 2014

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# Dwight Yoakam performed with The Geezinslaws at the Broken Spoke in 1980



Photo by Rick Henson 1980

Bruce  
Robison  
began  
performing  
at the Broken  
Spoke in the  
1990s



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# The Derailers began performing at the Broken Spoke in the 2000s

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# Jack Ingram began performing at the Broken Spoke in the 2000s

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# Scott Biram performed at the Broken Spoke in 2014



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# Patricia Vonne and Rosie Flores performed together at the Broken Spoke in 2014



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# Lucky Tubb and Jesse Dayton performed at the Broken Spoke together in 2014



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# Weldon Henson began performing at the Broken Spoke in the 2010s





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# Kevin Fowler began performing at the Broken Spoke in 1991



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# Alvin Crow began performing at the Broken Spoke in 1974

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# Two Tons of Steel began performing at the Broken Spoke in 2000



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# Shelley King performed at the Broken Spoke in 2014



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Monte  
Warden  
began  
performing at  
the Broken  
Spoke in  
1991



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# Willie Nelson and Ray Benson performed together at the Broken Spoke in 2016



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# Garth Brooks performed at the Broken Spoke March 17, 2017



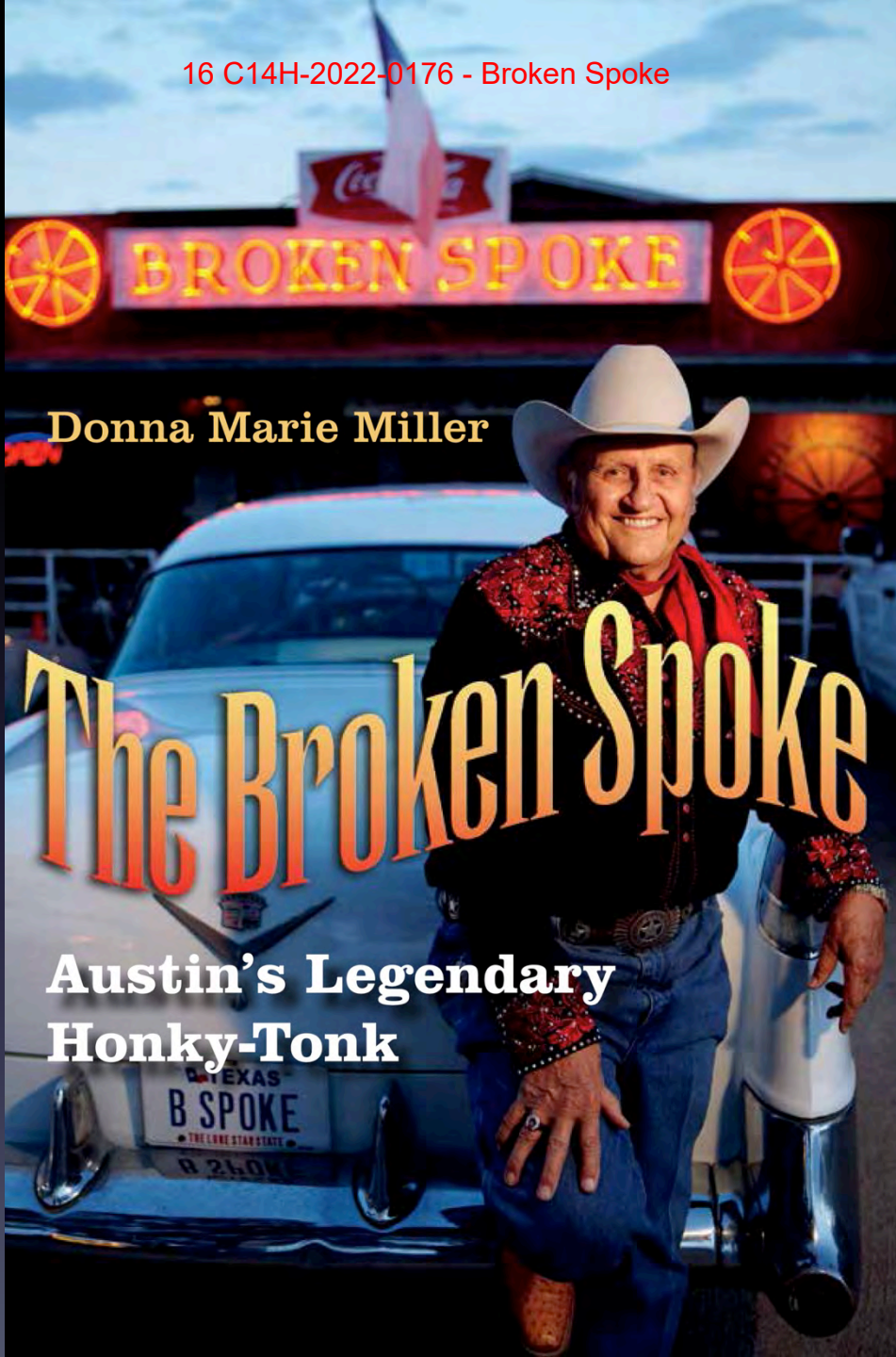
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# The Broken Spoke opened in 1964 and James White plans to keep it rollin'



Photo by Rick Henson 1991





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# The Broken Spoke

**Austin's Legendary  
Honky-Tonk**

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